



Kentucky Academic Course Code List

Health Education and Physical
Education Courses
without Certification

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The Kentucky Department of Education (KDE) initiated a course code project under the direction of Commissioner Pruitt in January 2017. The project ensures Kentucky is providing equitable opportunity and access to research-based student experiences that impact student success.

The results of the project include an alignment of core academic course codes to Kentucky Academic Standards. The standards aligned to the core academic course codes cannot be changed. The alignment serves as a guarantee to students across the Commonwealth that all students have equitable access to Kentucky Academic Standards. The project also provides an alignment to Kentucky's new Accountability System, 703 KAR 5:270, which measures opportunity and access provided to students across Kentucky.

The Kentucky Academic Course Code List contains a listing of course codes and descriptions along with certifications that fit the parameters for given courses. The content listed for a course cannot be changed; however, the grade range and population information listed for each course are not absolute and can vary slightly depending on the needs of the school and teacher certifications. Districts should choose the course that most closely represents the content in a given course. ***The description and content of a course are the determining factors in what should be selected.***

Contact Information:

- Districts may contact CourseCodes@education.ky.gov with questions pertaining to course codes, course content and course-standards alignment.
- Districts may contact the EPSB Division of Certification at (502) 564-4606 or dcert@ky.gov with question pertaining to certification.
- Districts may contact KHEAA at (502) 696-7397 or kees@kheaa.com with questions pertaining to KEES eligibility.

HOW TO USE THIS DOCUMENT

This document contains a listing of course codes and descriptions along with certifications that fit the parameters for given courses. The grade range listed for each course are not absolute. Please choose the course that most closely represents the content in a given course.

EXAMPLE

John Q Middle School had 5th, 6th, and 7th grade students taking a Visual Art course. This course would be linked to course number **500711: Visual Art – Comprehensive**, which shows a recommended grade range of 6 – 12.

Schools will link their courses on the Infinite Campus “Course Master” tab OR in the “Course” tab to courses listed in this document.

Schools may have created courses that are very unique in order to meet students’ needs. If a course does not meet the definition or content of one contained in this document, please use course number **909999: School Defined Course**, and define the correct content through the LEAD report.

The course code 909999 should be used in situations where a current course code does not exist and there are no existing Kentucky Academic Standards aligned to the course. Local Boards of Education should approve the use of a district's use of a 909999 course code *before* a district begins utilizing it within Infinite Campus. Please see the [Guiding Principles For Using Course Code 909999](#) for more information.

CERTIFICATIONS

It is important to note that the certificates listed are the ones that fit ***ALL*** of the parameters for a specific course; there may be other certificates that can teach it with slightly more restrictive parameters.

Please take note of the following information from *The Kentucky Academic Standards* with regard to middle school courses that are offered for high school credit.

High School Credit Earned in Middle School

It is expected that most students will earn high school credits during their high school years. However, local school districts may offer high school courses to middle level students if the following criteria are met:

- the content and the rigor of the course are the same as established in the *Kentucky Academic Standards*
- the students demonstrate mastery of the middle level content as specified in the *Kentucky Academic Standards*
- the district has criteria in place to make reasonable determination that the middle level student is capable of success in the high school course
- **the middle level course is taught by teachers with either secondary or middle level certification with appropriate content specialization**

Although middle level courses list the Provisional and Standard Elementary Certificates, Grades 1-8 as allowable under the parameters of these courses, they will not meet the above requirements for courses that are offered for high school credit.

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Health Education and Physical Education (340000)

Health Education (340100)

340133 - Health Education I

Grade Level: 9 - 12

Credits: .5

Description: This course is designed to give students the opportunity to learn through a comprehensive sequentially planned Health Education program in accordance with the Kentucky Academic Standards for High School Health Education. The emphasis of this course is to teach students the ability to access, understand, appraise, apply and advocate for health information and services in order to maintain or enhance one's own health and the health of others.

Content: Health Education

Population: General

[340133 Health Education I Course Standards Document](#)

340136 - 6th Grade Health Education

Grade Level: 6 - 6

Credits:

Description: This course is designed to give students the opportunity to learn through a comprehensive sequentially planned Health Education program in accordance with the Kentucky Academic Standards for Middle School (6th Grade) Health Education. The emphasis of this course is to teach students the ability to access, understand, appraise, apply and advocate for health information and services in order to maintain or enhance one's own health and the health of others.

Content: Health Education

Population: General

[340136 6th Grade Health Education Course Standards Document](#)

340137 - 7th Grade Health Education

Grade Level: 7 - 7

Credits:

Description: This course is designed to give students the opportunity to learn through a comprehensive sequentially planned Health Education program in accordance with the Kentucky Academic Standards for Middle School (7th Grade) Health Education. The emphasis of this course is to teach students the ability to access, understand, appraise, apply and advocate for health information and services in order to maintain or enhance one's own health and the health of others.

Content: Health Education

Population: General

[340137 7th Grade Health Education Course Standards Document](#)

340138 - 8th Grade Health Education

Grade Level: 8 - 8

Credits:

Description: This course is designed to give students the opportunity to learn through a comprehensive sequentially planned Health Education program in accordance with the Kentucky Academic Standards for Middle School (8th Grade) Health Education. The emphasis of this course is to teach students the ability to access, understand, appraise, apply and advocate for health information and services in order to maintain or enhance one's own health and the health of others.

Content: Health Education

Population: General

[340138 8th Grade Health Education Course Standards Document](#)

340287 - 6th Grade Integrated Health & Physical Education

Grade Level: 6 - 6

Credits:

Description: This course is designed to give students the opportunity to learn through a comprehensive sequentially planned Physical Education and Health Education program by combining the Kentucky Academic Standards for Middle School (6th Grade) Physical Education and Health Education (6th Grade) into one course.

Content: Integrated Health and Physical Education (6-12)

Population: General

[340287 6th Grade Integrated Health & Physical Education Course Standards Document](#)

340288 - 7th Grade Integrated Health & Physical Education

Grade Level: 7 - 7

Credits:

Description: This course is designed to give students the opportunity to learn through a comprehensive sequentially planned Physical Education and Health Education program by combining the Kentucky Academic Standards for Middle School (7th Grade) Physical Education and Health Education (7th Grade) into one course.

Content: Integrated Health and Physical Education (6-12)

Population: General

[340288 7th Grade Integrated Health & Physical Education Course Standards Document](#)

340289 - 8th Grade Integrated Health & Physical Education

Grade Level: 8 - 8

Credits:

Description: This course is designed to give students the opportunity to learn through a comprehensive sequentially planned Physical Education and Health Education program by combining the Kentucky Academic Standards for Middle School (8th Grade) Physical Education and Health Education (8th Grade) into one course.

Content: Integrated Health and Physical Education (6-12)

Population: General

[340289 8th Grade Integrated Health & Physical Education Course Standards Document](#)

340290 - High School Integrated Health & Physical Education

Grade Level: 9 - 12

Credits: 1

Description: This course is designed to give students the opportunity to learn through a comprehensive sequentially planned Physical Education and Health Education program by combining the Kentucky Academic Standards for High School Physical Education and High School Health Education into one course.

Content: Integrated Health and Physical Education (6-12)

Population: General

[340290 High School Integrated Health and Physical Education Course Standards Document](#)

Physical Education (340200)

340214 - Fitness Conditioning

Grade Level: 9 - 12

Credits:

Description: This course emphasizes conditioning activities that help develop muscular strength, muscular endurance, flexibility and cardiorespiratory endurance.

Content: Physical Education

Population: General

340215 - Aerobics

Grade Level: 9 - 12

Credits:

Description: This course is designed to offer the students a wide variety of cardiorespiratory fitness activities in order to enhance cardiorespiratory endurance.

Content: Physical Education

Population: General

340216 - Physical Education I

Grade Level: 9 - 12

Credits: .5

Description: This course is designed to give students the opportunity to learn through a comprehensive sequentially planned Physical Education program in accordance with the Kentucky Academic Standards for High School (9th-12th Grade) Physical Education. The emphasis of this course is to provide students with the skills, knowledge, attitude and confidence to be active for a lifetime. Students will have the opportunity to develop skills in fitness/conditioning activities, individual/team sports and recreational activities. Students will learn how lifetime physical activity contributes to optimal physical, mental, emotional and social health.

Content: Physical Education

Population: General

[340216 Physical Education I Course Standards Document](#)

340219 - Advanced Physical Education

Grade Level: 9 - 12

Credits:

Description: This course is designed to be an extension of Physical Education I to provide students with the advanced skills, knowledge, attitude and confidence to be active for a lifetime.

Content: Physical Education

Population: General

340225 - Aquatics

Grade Level: 9 - 12

Credits:

Description: This course is designed to help students develop skills useful or necessary in an aquatic environment. Topics may include: swimming and competitive strokes, team-oriented water sports, diving and/or lifesaving skills.

Content: Physical Education

Population: General

340226 - 6th Grade Physical Education

Grade Level: 6 - 6

Credits:

Description: This course is designed to give students the opportunity to learn through a comprehensive sequentially planned Physical Education program in accordance with the Kentucky Academic Standards for Middle School (6th Grade) Physical Education. The emphasis of this course is to provide students with the skills, knowledge, attitude and confidence to be active for a lifetime. Students will have the opportunity to develop skills in fitness/conditioning activities, individual/team sports and recreational activities. Students will learn to define, describe and identify how physical education contributes to optimal development of physical, mental, emotional and social health.

Content: Physical Education

Population: General

[340226 6th Grade Physical Education Course Standards Document](#)

340227 - 7th Grade Physical Education

Grade Level: 7 - 7

Credits:

Description: This course is designed to give students the opportunity to learn through a comprehensive sequentially planned Physical Education program in accordance with the Kentucky Academic Standards for Middle School (7th Grade) Physical Education. The emphasis of this course is to provide students with the skills, knowledge, attitude and confidence to be active for a lifetime. Students will have the opportunity to develop skills in fitness/conditioning activities, individual/team sports and recreational activities. Students will learn to explain and summarize how physical education contributes to optimal development of physical, mental, emotional and social health.

Content: Physical Education

Population: General

[340227 7th Grade Physical Education Course Standards Document](#)

340228 - 8th Grade Physical Education

Grade Level: 8 - 8

Credits:

Description: This course is designed to give students the opportunity to learn through a comprehensive sequentially planned Physical Education program in accordance with the Kentucky Academic Standards for Middle School (8th Grade) Physical Education. The emphasis of this course is to provide students with the skills, knowledge, attitude and confidence to be active for a lifetime.

Students will have the opportunity to develop skills in fitness/conditioning activities, individual/team sports and recreational activities. Students will learn to analyze and translate how physical education contributes to optimal development of physical, mental, emotional and social health.

Content: Physical Education

Population: General

[340228 8th Grade Physical Education Course Standards Document](#)

340287 - 6th Grade Integrated Health & Physical Education

Grade Level: 6 - 6

Credits:

Description: This course is designed to give students the opportunity to learn through a comprehensive sequentially planned Physical Education and Health Education program by combining the Kentucky Academic Standards for Middle School (6th Grade) Physical Education and Health Education (6th Grade) into one course.

Content: Integrated Health and Physical Education (6-12)

Population: General

[340287 6th Grade Integrated Health & Physical Education Course Standards Document](#)

340288 - 7th Grade Integrated Health & Physical Education

Grade Level: 7 - 7

Credits:

Description: This course is designed to give students the opportunity to learn through a comprehensive sequentially planned Physical Education and Health Education program by combining the Kentucky Academic Standards for Middle School (7th Grade) Physical Education and Health Education (7th Grade) into one course.

Content: Integrated Health and Physical Education (6-12)

Population: General

[340288 7th Grade Integrated Health & Physical Education Course Standards Document](#)

340289 - 8th Grade Integrated Health & Physical Education

Grade Level: 8 - 8

Credits:

Description: This course is designed to give students the opportunity to learn through a comprehensive sequentially planned Physical Education and Health Education program by combining the Kentucky Academic Standards for Middle School (8th Grade) Physical Education and Health Education (8th Grade) into one course.

Content: Integrated Health and Physical Education (6-12)

Population: General

[340289 8th Grade Integrated Health & Physical Education Course Standards Document](#)

340290 - High School Integrated Health & Physical Education

Grade Level: 9 - 12

Credits: 1

Description: This course is designed to give students the opportunity to learn through a comprehensive sequentially planned Physical Education and Health Education program by combining the Kentucky Academic Standards for High School Physical Education and High School Health Education into one course.

Content: Integrated Health and Physical Education (6-12)

Population: General

[340290 High School Integrated Health and Physical Education Course Standards Document](#)